

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re Application of**

Kiyotaka Imai

Serial No.: 09/828,862**Group Art Unit:** 2811**Filed:** April 10, 2001**Examiner:** Vu, Quang D.**For:** SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SAMEHonorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
BOX AF**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 23, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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